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For: VALVE PLATE STRUCTURE

Enclosed are:

X A specification consisting of 14 pages

X 7 sheet(s) of FORMAL drawings

☒ X An assignment of the invention - \$40.00 Recording Fee

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